



# **SUNSHADE BLINDS**

## **USER GUIDE**

### **General**

All units are fully tested before leaving the Sunshade Factory and should have been tested for correct operation by your installer after the units had been installed.

Should you have any issues with the appearance or operation of the blinds the you should, in the first instance, refer to your installer for advice and help.

Failure to maintain the blinds may cause internal damage and invalidate the warranty.

### **Blind Operation**

The blinds utilise a very stable and reliable system which require low levels of maintenance to ensure full and long lasting operation.

Operated by control magnets the surface of the glass the blinds can be fully raised and lowered, and tilted and turned.

The magnets sit over tracks at the sides (or bottom for tilt/turn only blinds) of the sealed unit. The blinds can be raised/lowered and tilted/turned by sliding the control magnets up or down their tracks.

For best operation the slats should be in the horizontal position before the blind is raised.

### **Cleaning**

To ensure that the control magnets remain easy to operate it is necessary to clean the glass tracks and back of the magnets (if not fitted with guide rails) at regular intervals.

The glass tracks should be cleaned a minimum of every three months to maintain satisfactory operation.

The backs of magnets and the rollers on their carriages may be cleaned providing no guide rails are fitted.

### **Replacing Magnets**

If guide rails are not fitted it will be possible to remove the magnets by sliding them sideways on the surface of the glass off the tracks

To replace a magnet it should be positioned on the surface of the glass at the top of the track. The magnet should then be slid slowly down the track until a light pressure is felt as it begins to engage with the magnet inside the track. The magnet should be slid further down the track until a greater pressure is felt. Push the magnet still further downwards until a loud 'click' is heard, at this point the magnet is fully engaged. The blind can then be operated normally. This will apply to both the raise/lower and the tilt/turn functions.

If you have any questions or issues please contact the installer of the blinds.